NEIGHBORHOOD MATCHING GRANTS PROGRAM FALL 2007 ARLINGTON APPLICATION CHECKLIST

Each application packet <u>must</u> include:

One unbound reproducible copy and one attached copy with original signatures of each of the following:
Letter of Invitation to submit a grant proposal as received from the City
Completed Grant Application (form provided) and any additional pages that were needed
Copy of the Fiscal Agent's IRS 501(c)3 Determination Letter and insurance.* *Insurance waived for Neighborhood Associations
If the Neighborhood Association is the fiscal agent, a copy of a recent bank statement
If the Neighborhood Association is not the fiscal agent, proof of establishment via:
A copy of the association's bylaws
A copy of the association's officers or board members
A copy of the associations most recent meeting minutes
A copy of the association's recent bank statement
(If incorporated by the State of Texas) A copy of the Articles of Incorporation
Remember that your association must be registered with the City (neighborhood watch and citizens on patrol groups must be registered with the APD)
Proof of all match assets currently in your possession or promised if awarded this grant
For cash match, bank statement must show balance is available
Volunteer Commitment and Hold Harmless Agreements for Neighbor Labor (forms provided)
Donation Letters: goods, professional services and discounts (form provided)
Proof of adjacent property owners' support
Proof of property owners permission (if not public property)
Before Photographs
Sketch/ site plan/ landscape plan of improvements (if applicable)
Any documents showing community support (not required but suggested)